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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated August 7, 2006, issued in connection with the above-identified application, Applicant through its undersigned attorney responds as follows.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in a LISTING OF THE CLAIMS, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 8 of this paper.